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This Week

Short Paragraphs of Headline News

STATE

The 30-room house at Brunswick built by Joshua L. Chamberlain, Governor of Maine in 1867, was destroyed by fire last Thursday.

Work has started on new men's dormitories at Colby College. The cornerstones will be laid at commencement, June 16.

John O. Newton will retire as principal of Kenis Hill Seminary in June after 46 years of service with the school.

The expense of the state audit, still going on, has been \$20,000 at present—"advanced on account" to the private auditors investigating the tangled state records.

Flames destroyed the Ross-Cobb block in Sanford Friday with 60 persons driven from the three-story office and apartment building. Loss was unofficially set at \$150,000.

Maine has been allotted \$7,844.16 by the Federal government to use in a wildlife restoration project.

The bodies of the five Berlin, N. H., hunters, Albert Morin, Nelson Lapointe, Emile Beaudet, Alfred Lambert and Alcides Gagne, who were drowned in Umbagog Lake last October, were recovered last week-end.

NATIONAL

The United States and five other nations signed a "convention" Friday, establishing a \$100,000,000 Inter-American Bank planned to strengthen the "Good Neighbor" policy with cash. This country will supply \$5,000,000 to cover 50 shares of the stock.

President Roosevelt has warned the western hemisphere that its distance from Europe does not give it "magical immunity" from attack. He called on the Americas to act unanimously in readiness for whatever may come.

Approximately \$350,000,000 of American airplanes and motors have been bought by the British and French in the past four weeks, according to Renee Plevin, a member of the Allied Purchasing Mission.

Proposals are before Congress to give military training to the CCC boys and to use WPA workers for building defenses.

The House has voted to pay pensions to dependent widows, children and parents of all World War veterans, regardless of what caused the veterans' deaths.

Mrs. Margaret C. Smith, widow of Rep. Clyde H. Smith, became Maine's first woman representative in a special primary Monday. She will finish her husband's term in Congress.

FOREIGN

The flood waters of Holland's low lands were used, for the first time since the 16th century, last week-end to augment guns and men in repelling the Nazis.

Hungary called two reservist corps for active duty Sunday and Switzerland is fully mobilized awaiting spread of the most destructive warfare since 1914.

A complete round-up of all German and Austrian men from 16 to 60 is under way in England.

Britain fears an invasion by Germany's air fleet. The island empire has not been invaded since the

WAR RELIEF

With the invasion of Holland, Belgium and Luxembourg, the war has entered a phase which will inevitably and at once bring widespread and appalling suffering to millions of helpless men, women and children. In order to inaugurate widespread relief measures the American Red Cross is at once launching a campaign for a minimum relief fund of ten million dollars. The quota of Southern Oxford Chapter, of which Bethel is a part, is \$2,000, so all are urged to give as generously as they can.

A house to house canvass will no doubt have to be done, but until such arrangements can be made all contributions may be left with Ernest Bisbee, treasurer of the Bethel branch.

YOUTH RALLY AT PARIS HILL NEXT SUNDAY EVENING

The Annual Youth Rally, sponsored by the Oxford County Ministers' Association, will be held at Paris Hill Sunday, May 19, at 6 p. m. Each person will bring a picnic lunch. Drink will be provided. After the out-door picnic there will be a service in the Church. The speaker will be Rev. George Blackwell of Paris Hill. He has been a missionary in Burma and will bring an excellent message. Young people!!! Plan to be there!

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Miss Dora Gallant underwent surgery for appendicitis at the St. Louis Hospital, Berlin, last Wednesday.

Mrs. Harry Hutchinson is recovering from an operation for appendicitis at the St. Louis Hospital, Berlin.

Belno Handy of Salem, Mass., was an overnight guest of his sister, Mrs. Eugene Van Den Kerckhoven, Monday.

Mrs. Fannie Carter, who has been living in the village during the winter, returned to her home in Middle Intervale Tuesday.

Mrs. Clayton Mills and children, Marie and Arthur, went to Westbrook today (Thursday) to visit her brother, Ernest Mundi, and family a few days.

Miss Ardell N. Lorimer, who has spent the past several months with her uncle, F. A. Goddard, has returned to her home in West Bridgewater, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. John Silver and Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Grover of Gorham, Maine, were callers at Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Mills and family Sunday.

Mrs. Philip Sayles was honor guest at a supper and bridge party given by a group of friends Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Freeland Clark.

Jacky Maguire was given a party at his home Monday afternoon in honor of his ninth birthday. Guests were David Bennett, Wayne Bennett, Laurice Lord, Jerry Davis, and Carl Wright.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Mills and family Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mundi and daughter Neva, Malcolm Mundi and Miss Virginia Cragin of Westbrook, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mundi and son James.

Norman conquest of 1066.

Russia and Yugoslavia are completing plans for "far-reaching political and military cooperation."

Sweden is under complete black-out for an indefinite period because of German troop movements around Kiel Canal.

Egypt is moving civilians from frontier towns and foreign citizens in Italy are leaving for homelands.

MacMILLAN LECTURE GREAT SUCCESS

Odeon Hall was taxed to overflowing on Thursday evening, May 9, when Commander Donald B. MacMillan presented his illustrated lecture of his Arctic explorations. The audience, numbering over 600, included about 350 elementary school children of Bethel and surrounding towns. The rapt attention of the vast audience, many of whom were standing, gave testimony to the interest of MacMillan's thrilling story of adventure so graphically portrayed in his slides and moving pictures.

It was not with the hope of making money that the Parent-Teacher Association sponsored this lecture, but rather to bring to the boys and girls this educational entertainment. However, after defraying the expenses of \$90, \$56 was added to the treasury of the Association.

The members of the Parent-Teacher Association are grateful for the splendid cooperation accorded them in their undertaking. Especially would they thank the citizens of the surrounding town for their patronage. Much credit is due the teachers throughout the Bethel union for their help in advertising through the schools.

The Association regrets that many, some of whom came a long distance, were unable to get into the hall.

The lecture was preceded by selections from the grammar school orchestra of 27 pieces. This orchestra, although in its embryonic stage, made a creditable showing under the direction of Miss Virginia Wolcott.

Commander MacMillan was introduced by his college friend, Fred B. Merrill, at whose home he was entertained.

BETHEL POPPY DAYS MAY 24-25

The local American Legion women are continuing their preparations for the observance of Poppy Days on Friday and Saturday, May 24 and 25.

"The wild poppy of France and Flanders was the one touch of nature's beauty which survived amid the death and destruction of the battle front," says Mrs. Mabel O'Brien, American Legion Auxiliary poppy chairman. "It grew and bloomed around the trenches and shell holes. It sprang up on the fresh graves of the battle dead and became associated in the thought of soldiers with the sacrifice of their fallen comrades."

"In addition to honoring the dead the poppy brings more than \$1,000,000 each year for the work of the Legion and Auxiliary in behalf of the disabled veterans and families of the dead and disabled."

Charles Davis returned home Wednesday after spending the winter with his daughter, Mrs. Rob Wormell, in Portland.

Sherman F. Flu, who has spent the winter at his home in Bradford, Mass., arrived Sunday to spend several weeks at his home here.

The fire department was called last week to extinguish grass fires near the home of Edgar Cross and near West Bethel, and Tuesday afternoon the alarm was sounded for a forest fire on the farm of Willis Ward. Middle Intervale, where about an acre was burned over.

BASEBALL

FRYEBURG ACADEMY

2.30 p. m. SAT., MAY 18

GOULD ACADEMY vs. MECHANIC FALLS H. S.

3.30 p. m. WED., MAY 22

GOULD 9—NORWAY 5

Behind the effective pitching of Jenks and Tucker the Gould team chalked up their first victory of the current campaign, 9-5, on the Gould field Wednesday afternoon. Jenks started on the mound and made the Norway batters "eat" from his hand in five of the six innings he was on the rubber. An error by Gavel and some loose infield play put him in a hole in the fourth as the visitors scored three times on three hits, two of the infield variety.

Gould scored twice in the second after Tucker walked, Wentzell grounded out and Swan came through with his first hit, a lusty single to centerfield. Swan scored later when the Norway infield started throwing the ball around. In the third inning Gould again put on some fireworks. After Jenks had fled out, Amato, Gavel, and Clough singled in quick succession then Tucker smacked a long one to left which ordinarily would have been a home run but it hit in the top of a tree and ground rules limited him to two bases. Gould made it six in the fifth on singles by Clough and Tucker and added another in the sixth on Amato's hit after Billings had walked and stolen second. The final scoring by the locals came in the eighth when Swan and Billings walked and Baker lined a hit into right center.

Both Jenks and Tucker worked very well on the mound and Billings again turned in another splendid game behind the plate. Gould's chances against Fryeburg here Saturday will depend much upon these players with a little more help from the infield. As a unit the infield has worked well together but a little more "pepper" and hustle on slow hit balls would prevent many of the soft hits secured by opponents.

The summary:

GOULD	ab	hh	po	a
Amato, lf	5	2	1	0
Gavel, 1b	4	1	6	0
Clough, 3b	4	2	2	0
Tucker, cf, p	3	2	4	2
Wentzell, 2b	4	0	1	1
Swan, ss	3	2	1	0
Billings, c	2	0	1	0
Baker, rf	4	1	1	0
Jenks, p, cf	3	0	0	1
	32	10	27	4

NORWAY HIGH

ab	hh	po	a
LaFrance, ss	5	1	2
Gulfford, 2b	1	0	0
Russell, 2b	4	2	3
Dow, 1b	4	1	6
Cobb, rf	4	1	0
Wiley, c	4	1	9
Addison, 3b, p	4	1	0
Dyer, lf	4	0	1
Trafton, cf	1	0	1
Allen, cf	2	0	0
Truman, p	1	0	1
White, 3b	3	2	1
	36	9	24

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NORWAY 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 1 1

Runs, Amato, Gavel, Clough 2, Tucker, Swan 2, Billings 2, Russell 2, Dow, Cobb, White, Errors, Javel, Tucker, Wentzell, Gulfford, Addison 2; Two base hits, Tucker; Stolen bases, Gould 5, Norway 3; Left on bases, Gould 4, Norway 6; Base on balls—off: Jenks, Truman 4; Struck out, by Jenks 8, Tucker, Addison 7. Hits off: Jenks 5 in 6 innings, Tucker 4 in 3 innings, Truman 5 in 2 2-3 innings, Addison 5 in 5 1-3 innings; Passed balls, Billings; Winning pitcher, Jenks; Losing pitcher, Truman; Umpires, Lurvey and Gill; Time of game, 2 hrs. 30 min.

Miss Carolyn Merrill was the week-end guest of her aunt, Mrs. Conrad Chaffin of Rumford.

NEW BARBER SHOP

I have opened a Barber Shop in the Ramsell building next to the Clover Farm Store.

LESTER ENMAN

UPTON MAN INJURED IN NEWRY ACCIDENT

In an attempt to avoid a threatened collision on the sharp turn near the Appalachian House (formerly Poplar Tavern) at North Newry about 12.30 Saturday morning, a Willys coach driven by Albert Therrien of Upton overturned in the road after traveling some distance on the bank. With Therrien was Oscar Roulx of Upton, owner of the car, who suffered a broken left collar bone, cracked knee cap and many bruises. After receiving first aid he was taken to the St. Louis Hospital, and later to his home. Therrien was not injured. The accident was investigated by State Officer Maguire.

The men were on their way home from the sugar eat at Newry Corner and according to others on the road at the time were traveling at a reasonable rate of speed. It is said there was considerable traffic in the opposite direction, and as the car approached this dangerous corner the driver was blinded by the lights of the car he sought to avoid.

MISS WIGHT RE-ELECTED

At the recent meeting of the joint school committee of Bethel, Greenwood, Gilead, Newry and Upton, Miss Carrie M. Wight was re-elected superintendent for two years at the same salary as before, \$2400 a year.

CITIZEN OFFERS FLAGS FOR NEW SUBSCRIPTIONS

With the idea in mind of the approaching Memorial Day, Flag Day, and Independence Day, The Citizen is offering as a special premium with every new one year subscription a durable well made American Flag, 5x3 feet, dyed in fast colors. The need of more flags is often apparent in Bethel and every town on the special days when Old Glory should be unfurled, and the Citizen is pleased to be able to make this surprising offer. Read the full details on page four this week.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Clayton Fossett and son Paul spent the week-end at Pemaquid.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ramsdell and Mrs. Olive Lurvey spent the week-end in Farmington.

Miss Lucy Fox is very ill at the home of Mrs. Olive Wood. Mrs. Eva Fox is helping to care for her.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Perley Flint and Mr. and Mrs. Freeland Clark have gone to Bosebuck Camps, Wilson's Mills.

F. A. Goddard left Wednesday for a business trip to Canada. Before returning he will visit Boston and West Bridgewater, Mass.

Misses Ethel Jodrey, Lois Scribner and Cella Smith of Portland were guests of Miss Ruby Jodrey Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Duck and sons, Albert and David, were dinner guests of Mrs. A. R. Farwell Sunday.

Mrs. Andrew Squizzaro and son Earl Bonney of Boston were week-end guests of her mother, Mrs. H. S. Jodrey.

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NORTH WOODSTOCK

Mrs. Herman Cole has been caring for her grandson, Dana Dudley. His mother, Mrs. Otis Dudley, visited her sister, Evelyn Knights, in Massachusetts.

Mrs. Nellie Abbott returned home Sunday after spending several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. George Abbott.

Arthur Coffin and family were at Rumford Saturday evening.

Emil Helkkinen and daughter of West Paris spent Friday evening at Edgar Davis'.

Mr. and Mrs. C. James Knights and family were at Portland Sunday. Mrs. Knights' uncle, Isaac Judkins, and wife returned home with them for a visit.

Robert Coffin has a new bicycle. Others having recently got a new one were Richard Cole, Merl Lang, and Emma Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Durward Lang and son recently called on relatives at West Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cole of Weymouth, Massachusetts were week-end guests of relatives in town.

Mr. Swan of Sunday River was a caller at Herman Cole's Saturday.

Mrs. John Hemingway and mother were callers Sunday evening at Edgar Davis'.

Durward Lang and family visited Sunday at Newton Bryant's in Greenwood.

Mrs. Durward Lang was at Oxford Monday.

C. James Knights and family and mother, Mrs. Mary Knights, were at Norway Saturday evening.

Miss Billings, a teacher at the village school, called on Marion Sherman Monday evening.

GREENWOOD CENTER

Leo Swett has returned to his camp here and is helping Leroy Martin in the woods.

William Morgan of West Paris was a recent caller at E. K. Cole's.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Churchill, Buckfield, and Leland Farr, West Poland, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Martin over the week end.

The Abbotts of Mechanic Falls were at their camp here Sunday, the 12th.

Mrs. Will Bennett, Howe Hill, called on Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Cole Sunday.

Little Valerie Winslow, West Poland, is visiting with her grandmother, Mrs. R. L. Martin.

Raymond Andrews and Maynard Libby, Gorham, N. H., were at Camp Onaroc for several days last week.

Teresa Coolidge was a recent caller at Glenn Martin's.

Guy Emery and daughter Mary were recent callers at Beryl Martin's.

MIDDLE INTERVALE

Mrs. Ernest Swan and son Jimmie spent Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carey Stevens. Miss Edwards spent the week end at her home in Raymond.

Ada Bean and Methyl Packard called at Ben Kimball's and Carey Stevens' one day last week.

Barbara Carter is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Trask.

Paul Carter and Lyman Winslow were in Litchfield Saturday.

Archie Buck and family visited his mother, Mrs. O. A. Buck, at her home on Swan Hill, Sunday.

Ada Bean was at her home Saturday.

Ada Balentine is working at the village.

Beatrice Osgood was working at the village and Marion was staying at home last week.

Catherine and Mary Stevens have been having chicken pox.

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BRYANT POND

Rev. Herbert Whitelock was here Wednesday and held a meeting with Rev. James MacKillop in the evening.

Mrs. Josephine Cummings, Mrs. Lula Billings, Mrs. Pearl Whitman and Mrs. Verna Swan, also Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Greene and son Basil, were callers Saturday afternoon on Clarence C. Felt, who lives in a rent with Erlon Whitman. This was Mr. Felt's birthday and he was well remembered by them.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Farnum and daughters, Mona and Mary, were Sunday visitors of her sister, Mrs. Lewis Tirrell, at Locke Mills. Their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dana Berry of Gorham, N. H., were with their daughters.

Mother's Day was observed Sunday at the Baptist Church with a sermon by Rev. James MacKillop, music by the choir, and a solo by Mrs. Miriam McAllister. There was a good attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter Swan and children, Arline and Kenneth, also Howard MacKillop, went Sunday afternoon to the fish hatcheries at Dry Mills and New Gloucester.

Mrs. Ida Farnum is sick and Mrs. Verna Swan is taking her place at Mann's mill.

The saw room opened Monday at Mann's mill and several more men are employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Dudley, who have spent the winter in Florida, have arrived home.

LOCKE MILLS

Several of the students were home from the colleges Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Tebbets were in Lewiston Saturday.

Ruth Rich visited with her aunt, Miss Evelyn Kimball, at Gorham Normal School over the week-end.

NEWRY CORNER

Favorable reports are received from Mrs. Daisy Morton, who underwent surgery at the Community Hospital last Thursday.

A large crowd attended the Sugar Eat and dance here Friday night, May 10.

Miss Beatrice Stearns is assisting in the home of Chester Chapman a few days.

The Farm Bureau members met Wednesday at the Grange Hall with Mrs. Daisie Warren as hostess, assisted by Mrs. Grace Arsenault and Mrs. Grace Hulbert.

E. G. Warren is enlarging four of his overnight cabins and putting heat in them.

Mr. and Mrs. George Learned are rejoicing over the birth of a son. Mrs. Learned and baby are being cared for by her mother, Mrs. Ivan Stove, at Rumford Point.

Mrs. James Johnston entered the Community Hospital Tuesday for surgery.

BEAR RIVER GRANGE

At a regular meeting of Bear River Grange Saturday evening at the Grange Hall, the Overseer, Arthur Dudley, filled the Master's chair.

All officers were present with the exception of the Master, Chapman and Flora.

The dance committee and the Willing Workers reported \$64 as net proceeds from the Sugar Eat and dance held Friday evening.

Donations were made to the Grange Cottage, Educational Aid Fund, New England Home for Little Wanderers and North Star Grange, Dixmont, who recently lost their hall by fire.

The Master, Arthur Bennett, Secretary, Addie Saunders and Lecturer, Etta Brinck, were appointed as a committee to confer with the

Master of Upton Grange regarding a joint meeting in the near future.

It was voted that we commence our meetings at 7.30 E. S. T. during the summer months.

The Lecturer presented the following program:

Singing by the Grange
America the Beautiful
Roll Call on Mother's and Father's Day, with the origin of Mother's Day read by Carrie French; a vocal solo, Wonderful Mother of Mine by Arthur Dudley; Reading on Dad by Hugh Scarborough;

ough; song by the quartet, Mr. and Mrs. Dudley and Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, Mother, with an encore, Daddy.

easy to each other, responded to Question, How may we show courtesy to most of the members.

Closing song, God Be With You Till We Meet Again

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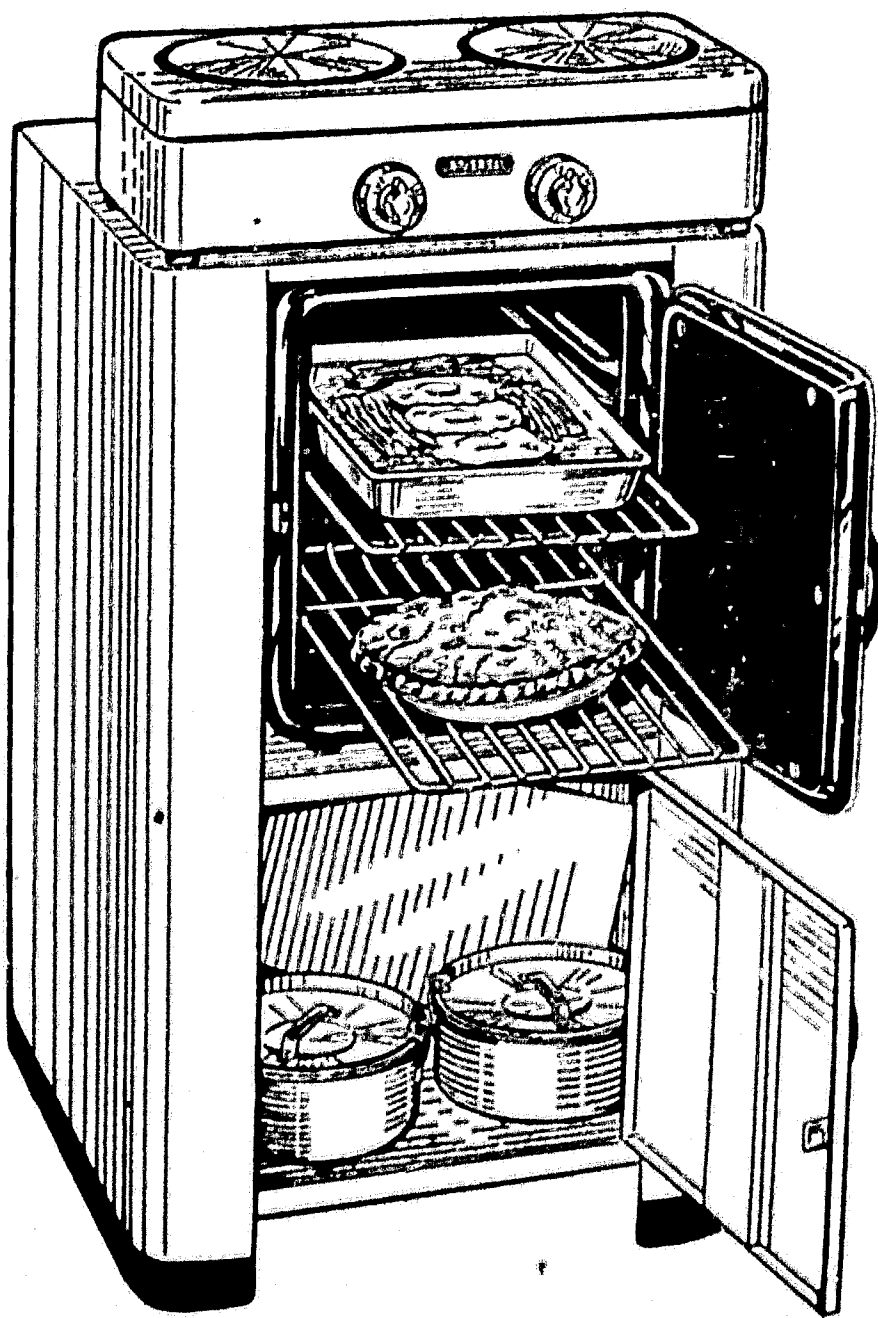
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BETHEL NEEDS MORE

shade trees beside its village
streets;

Sidewalks, and better ones, all
the year;

Home town loyalty, expressed in
a practical way—

Trees

Not very many years ago one of
Bethel's villages greatest attrac-
tions in the eyes of its summer
people was its shade trees which
line the streets. There were re-
garded with respect and even affec-
tion by the natives, and with the
passing of time many trees have,
with the aid of modern practices
and skill, been spared to local tree
lovers beyond their allotted span.

In spite of all this, the last few
years have brought forth a new
menace to Bethel's former pride.
Although we have no exact figures,
and statistics would have no effect
anyway, it appears that Bethel's
fever for service stations has ac-
counted for the destruction of some
20 trees, more or less. Now there
is nothing unusual about this. It is
the trend of the times. It is hap-
pening everywhere. It must be ex-
pected in the natural course of
events. And the Citizen certainly
has no quarrel with a multiplicity
of gas pumps or their operators.
Indeed we rather have an admira-
tion for their courage.

However, there is something that
can be done about it. And NOW
is the accepted time. Trees can
still be transplanted in the spring,
and it is spring now, even as our
great grandfathers did so many
years ago. Why not do something
about it?

PLEASANT VALLEY GRANGE

The regular meeting of Pleasant
Valley Grange, West Bethel, was
held at their hall on May 14, with
W. M. Henson, Bethel, in the chair.
There was an attendance of 17.

Howard Jordan Mason and L. A.
Howard Clara Hoffs were installed
by Past Master Bertha Mondt.

First and second degrees were
worked on two candidates.

Mrs. Olive Head was appointed
to serve on the Community Welfare
Committee.

The third and fourth degrees will
be worked next meeting, May 18.
Supper committee is Doris Lord,
Bertha Mondt, Edmund Smith and
Leland Mason.

BETHEL PRIMARY SCHOOL

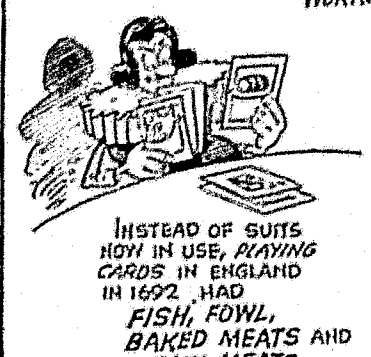
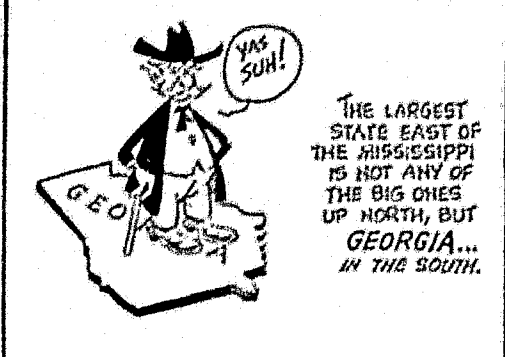
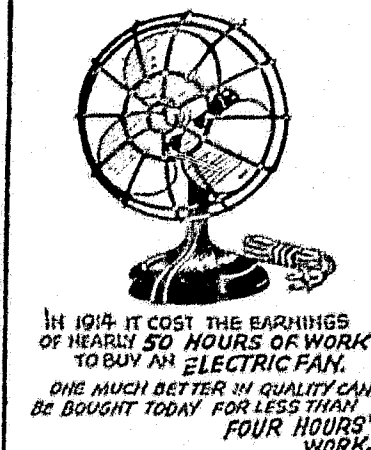
The following pupils of the pri-
mary school have had perfect at-
tendance for the past six weeks:

Grade I, Helen Croteau, Oakley
Godwin, Ramona Hall, Gerald Har-
rington, Laurice Lord, Gerald Pratt.

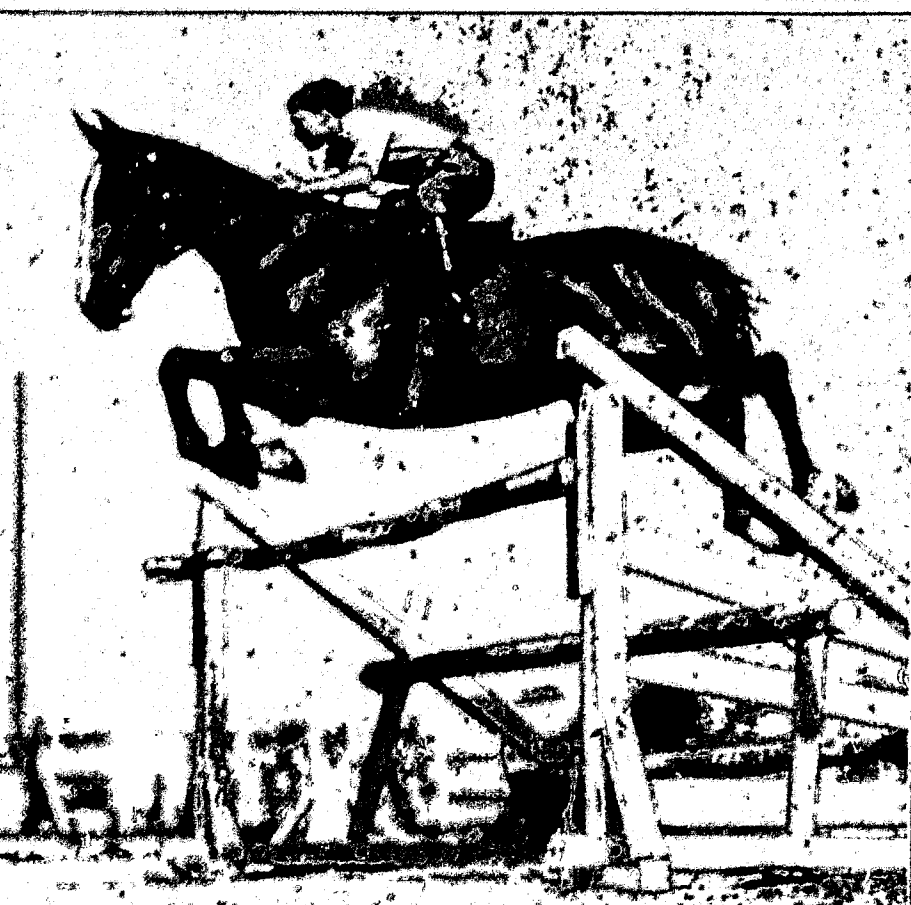
Grade II, Eldon Oreganoff, Nor-
man Lowell, Betty Perkins, Caro-
lyn Perkins, Rogers Pratt, Carolyn
Days, Arlene Brown.

Grade III, Lee Carver, Paul Cro-
teau, Richmond Davis, Eleanor
Gurney, Beverly Hall, Rodney Har-

**THE POCKETBOOK
of KNOWLEDGE** BY TOPPS



The SNAPSHOT GUILD
SHOOTING REAL ACTION



From this angle, motion is rapid and shutter speed must be high—but a slower shutter speed can be used if you shoot from a greater distance with the subject moving almost directly toward you.

THERE's a tremendous thrill in taking pictures of genuine fast action—racing automobiles, motor-cycles, speedboats, horses, athletic events and sports. Indeed, many enthusiastic amateurs find that this is the most exciting aspect of their camera hobby.

To picture real action, you need a camera with a speedy shutter, and a correspondingly fast lens. With modern high speed films, the fast lens is not as necessary as it used to be—but a fast shutter, with speeds of 1/200, 1/400, or 1/500 second, will always be a necessity if you specialize in this type of picture taking.

On the other hand, if you just take action shots now and then, and don't have a camera with an extremely high-speed shutter, there are certain tricks you can use... and these will often help you get sharp action pictures, even though you are handicapped by a slow shutter.

For example, look at the picture above. The action is almost "frozen" to the camera, at a right angle to it. Naturally, from this angle, the motion is greatest, and a

shutter speed of at least 1/500 second is needed. But if you stood quite near the track, farther up, so that the horse was coming almost directly toward you, the motion would appear less rapid. From that angle, a shutter speed of 1/200 would yield a reasonably sharp picture, if you caught the horse at the peak of the jump.

Remember that rule: when the action is coming toward you, motion is less, and a slower shutter will serve. By proper choice of position, therefore, you can overcome your handicap in many cases, and improve your percentage of successful pictures.

Here is another hint. In many games and sports, there are momentary pauses. A player will halt to turn—yet still retain a good action pose for a split second. In these pauses, if you're alert, you can capture many a fine action shot.

So even if you have a slow camera, don't be discouraged. A model with fast shutter is best, but that will come in time... and meanwhile, if you're alert and seize your opportunities, you can garner plenty of worthwhile action pictures.

John van Guilder

Harrington, Ray Lapham, Cornelia Merrill, Cornelius Merrill, John Naimoy, Billy Naimoy, Raymond Harrington, Grade IV, David Bennett, Wilma Croteau, Robert Croteau, Robert Deegan, Kenneth Merrill, William O'Brien, Edwin Swain Jr.

40 YEARS AGO in the NEWS

May 16, 1900

Chas. Douglas is putting up a new stable on Elm Street.

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We had a Mother's Day meeting at the Legion Hall, Locke Mills, Saturday evening. Margaret Long gave a talk on Textiles. Each girl did something to clean up around their home. At the end of the meeting we had a short program dedicated to the mothers. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. Each mother was presented a carnation. Mothers present were Mrs. Eva Swan, Mrs. Marion Tebbets, Mrs. Bertha Davis, Mrs. Georgia Mason, Mrs. Norma Tirrell, Mrs. Lillian Lapham and one grandmo-

ther, Mrs. Mabel Farrington. Mrs. Elsie Bennett and Jean Tirrell, leader and assistant leader, were also present.—Gloria Davis, Club Reporter.

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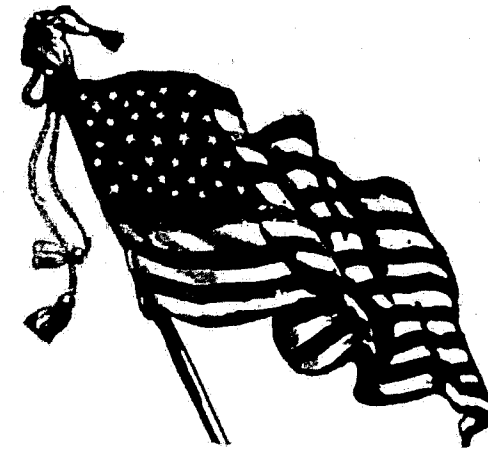
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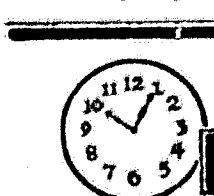
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NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE

Whereas Mellen E. Barker, formerly of Rumford, County of Oxford, State of Maine, now deceased, by his mortgage deed dated October 12, 1906, and recorded in Oxford County Registry of Deeds, Book 287, Page 165, conveyed to George S. Chapman, late of Bethel, in said County, now deceased, a certain lot or parcel of land situated in said Rumford and described as follows, viz: Intervale lot numbered eleven on the east side of Ellis River and a part of island lot numbered twenty-one, with the buildings thereon. Also a certain other parcel of land situated in said Rumford on the north side of the Androscoggin River, being one hundred acre lot, numbered one-hundred and three, containing one hundred acres, be the same more or less, excepting eleven acres of said lot conveyed by Stephen Hodsdon to William Simpson, also one other parcel of land situated in said Rumford included in lot numbered one hundred and three and being the same parcel of land deeded to Asa S. Howard by Porter Kimball.

Also another small piece of land deeded to Asa S. Howard by James I. Bragg by deed of April 8, 1897. Being all and singular the same real estate conveyed to said Mellen E. Barker by William Evans by deed dated Apr. 25, 1883 and recorded in said Registry, Book 202, Page 596, to which reference is to be had.

And whereas the condition of said mortgage has been broken, now therefore by reason of the breach of the condition thereof, I, the undersigned Fritz J. Tyler, administrator of the estate of said George S. Chapman, claim a foreclosure of said mortgage.

Dated May 14, 1940.
FRITZ J. TYLER
Administrator of the estate of George S. Chapman

GILEAD

Miss Alma Heath wishes to express her thanks to the members of the Gilead Library Association for the gift which they presented her on her birthday.

Miss Stella Nadeau of Berlin spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Antonette Nadeau.

Ruth Donahue is confined to the house with the mumps.

Mrs. Loren Frazier, who has spent the winter in Reading, Mass., visited her daughter, Mrs. Claude Heath and her son, Loren Frazier, Monday.

Misses Ruth Gilpatrick and Shirley Cole and George Daniels visited Miss Gilpatrick's parents at Brownfield Sunday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Chase spent the week-end at her home in Gorham, N. H.

Will Bickford and Mrs. Hazel Lord were calling on friends in town one day recently.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE

Whereas Alanson Tyler, formerly of Bethel, County of Oxford, State of Maine, now deceased, by his mortgage deed dated August 10, 1926, and recorded in Oxford County Registry of Deeds, Book 382, Page 118, conveyed to Fannie Bisbee Lovejoy, late of said Bethel, now deceased, a certain parcel of land situated in Bethel Village, in said Bethel, on the northerly side of Spring Street, and being the Samuel F. Gibson place, so commonly called, and bounded as follows, viz: westerly by land formerly of Mary P. Brackett, now of Bethel Grange; northerly by land formerly of Clarence K. Fox, now of Fred Gorman; easterly by land formerly of said Fox, now of said Gorman; southerly by said Spring Street. Said premises being the same conveyed to said Tyler by said Lovejoy on said tenth day of August, 1926; and whereas the condition of said mortgage has been broken, the breach of the condition thereof, I, the undersigned Bertram E. Packard, executor of the estate of said Fannie Bisbee Lovejoy, claim a foreclosure of said mortgage.

Dated May 10, 1940.
BERTRAM E. PACKARD
Executor of the estate of Fannie Bisbee Lovejoy.

GROVER HILL

Alfred J. Peaslee recently visited friends at North Bethel.

Mrs. Jeannette Trefethern from Portsmouth, N. H. is the guest of Mrs. C. L. Whitman this week, as also is her son, Arthur Whitman.

James Mundt visited relatives in Gorham a part of last week.

Sunday was a very enjoyable day for Mrs. Fred A. Mundt as it was a combined birthday and Mother's Day. Her son, Ernest Mundt, and family, Malcolm Mundt, another son, with his fiancée, Miss Virginia Craigin, from Westbrook, were her guests. The entire party met at Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Mills' for dinner. In the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Leroy A. Grover and Mr. and Mrs. John Silver from Gorham joined the family gathering.

Mrs. E. C. Mills was recently visited by Mr. and Mrs. Austin Jodrey and Mr. and Mrs. George Bennett of West Bethel.

UPTON

Harvey V. Haines of Detroit, Michigan has been the guest of his niece, Mrs. C. A. Judkins, for a few days.

Mrs. Selma J. Sanborn, who has been away since last September, returned home a few days ago. She accompanied her brother, Harvey V. Haines, to his home in Detroit to spend the summer.

Forty-one members of the P. T. A. met at the schoolhouse Tuesday evening this week in regular meeting. Dr. Jewett of Augusta spoke on cancer.



AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY NEWS

GEORGE A. MUNDT UNIT, No. 81

The American Legion Auxiliary held their meeting May 10 at the Legion rooms.

A nominating committee consisting of Selma Chapman, Frances Bennett and Adeline Fish were chosen. Election of officers will take place May 23.

Delegates chosen for the convention at Houlton, June 21-22-23 were: Mrs. Alta Meserve, Mrs. Frances Bennett and Mrs. Lola Forbes; alternates: Adeline Fish, Marjorie McAllister and Jane Van Den Kerckhoven. One new member, Mrs. John Compass, was given her obligation and Auxiliary pin.

Our two Gold Star mothers, Mrs. Carrie French and Mrs. Bertha Mundt, also a grandmother, Mrs. Alma Mitchell, were remembered by potted plants for Mother's Day. A Mother's Day program was given, consisting of readings:

"Mother," Carris French

"Just Mothers," Marjorie McAllister

"Mother's Day," Frances Bennett

The wreaths for the Memorial Day exercises will be made by the Auxiliary members at their next meeting. Plans for Memorial Sunday and Memorial Day will also be planned at that time.

Lola Forbes, President, stated that all reports of the Unit's chairman are to be sent to the American Legion State Chairman by May 22.

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JACKSON-SILVER UNIT No. 68

Sunday, May 12, was Hospital Day at the Veterans Facility in Togus. Comrade Alanson Cummings and Past President Flora Cummings spent the day there, taking Mrs. Roy Perham and son to visit Comrade Roy Perham, who has been hospitalized for nine weeks. Two Civil War veterans are among the patients. They were brought to the corridors in their wheel chairs to listen to the music and see the many visitors milling about.

Since the wars abroad continue to rage unchecked it would be well if everybody would visit these buildings that house the results of war and remember that, once these men were the best the country had to offer, and realize what follows the thrilling martial music that took them away. The American Legion and Auxiliary associate themselves together for many purposes, and principle No. 8 from the preamble to the constitution of the American Legion is "to promote peace and good will on earth."

Everybody must do their part and, first, the foreign "isms" must go, if we are "to foster and perpetuate a 100% Americanism."

The "pound party" held last meeting for a worthy family in Greenwood netted \$7.50 worth of groceries, which included 18 lbs. of sugar and \$3.50 in cash.

The May Birthdays will serve at the May 17 meeting: President Anne Kimball, Unice Sprague, Ruth Morgan and Comrade Fred Mason. There will be nomination of officers and election of delegates to the State Convention in Houlton.

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CHAPTER XIX

The horses and their riders were invisible in the shadow where the high wall curved away from the moonlight. O'Leary spoke hoarsely: "That must have been a snorter! You could have heard that punch half-way to Delhi. Who did you hit?"

"Mind your own business. Why did you whistle?" "Stoddard sent a man from camp to overtake you. He gave the message to me. He said there'd come a sweeper, running like hell, from Mrs. Harding in the guesthouse. She says she has to see you in a hurry. It's important, and won't you come quick!"

"What's become of the sweeper?" "He lit out. He said all's quiet at the palace."

"Nothing else new?" "No." Norwood thought a second: "You go to the Residency. Ask to see the Resident in person. Give your message to nobody else. Here—here's my card. Send that in. Ask the Resident to stand by the phone and expect a call from me at any minute."

"Do I know anything, if he asks?" "No. Look here, O'Leary: I know what I'm going to do, but I don't know what will happen. You follow the Resident to the palace. Slip in through the gate after him and watch for that Bengali doctor. Hold him, if you catch him coming out or going in. When you see me coming out of the palace, if I hold up my right hand, let him go. If I hold up both hands, turn him over to the gate guard. You've no police power, remember. So be careful."

Norwood was off at full gallop, with the sun hard after him, before O'Leary could answer. He drew rein at the palace gate and was delayed there for a moment or two by an argument between the commander of the gate guard and an Indian contractor, who had turned up with a motor truck for Mrs. Harding's luggage and a car for Mrs. Harding. Because Norwood was in uniform, the contractor appealed to him.

"Sir, I am referred admission. Sir, I have an order from the American lady, Mrs. Harding, to collect her luggage and to convey her to the station. It is a long way and a bad road. She has already paid me. I fear we shall not catch the midnight train unless—"

The commander of the gate guard drew Norwood aside. "It is his honor the Resident's wish," he said quietly.

"No business of mine," said Norwood. "May I leave my horses inside the gate?"

The great gate clanged behind him. He walked to the guesthouse. Mrs. Harding was no longer reclining on pillows on the chaise longue. She seemed even to have partially recovered from her lameness. She was seated bolt upright on one of her trunks, on the garden path, in front of the veranda door.

"There's no understanding you English," she remarked. "Why don't you use your title?"

"I haven't one."

"But your brother is an Earl, isn't it? So you're an Honorable, aren't you?"

"That is not what you inferred at our last interview."

"Well, I didn't know who you are. How could I? I have a letter for you, from Lynn. But the envelope was addressed to me. I have thought it over, and I suppose she must have put it into the wrong envelope by mistake, because I have received an answer to my letter to her. Here it is."

Norwood stepped on to the veranda to read it by the light from the window.

"Dear Captain Norwood,

"I am feeling ashamed and so sorry that I hardly know what to write. Won't you please call as soon as you can and let me explain. I mentioned, without thinking, something that occurred this morning. To my horror, I have now learned that what I said has been repeated, and that the result may be—I can't write it! Please, Captain Norwood, please believe that what I said was merely thoughtless and that what I have heard about you I refuse to believe. I know you are an honorable man. Please help me to undo my very bad mistake. I will be waiting for you at the palace. Won't you call as soon as possible?"

Lynn Harding."

Norwood returned to Mrs. Harding. "How long have you had this?"

"Don't try any of that holy-toity arrogance on me!" she retorted. "I'm a Harding, I'll have you understand! I sent a messenger for you because—"

Norwood was gone before she could answer. He dashed into the house, seized the phone and gave the Residency number. Then he lowered his voice:

"That you, sir? Norwood speaking from the guesthouse. Can you come to the palace? Yes, I know you told me to keep away. But I'm a ghost. I'm supposed to be dead."

You say you'd heard it already? My God, they were quick! No, no, I wasn't hurt. The point is this, sir: they are betting even money in the bazaar that the Maharajah won't outlive the night. I suspect poison. What's that?"

Well, for one thing, I know for a fact that Mrs. Harding has been given poisoned toast to make her vomit. Well, sir, obviously to keep her away from the niece. Yes, yes, I have that letter. I've just read it. If I'm not too late, and I don't think I am, I'm going in to upset someone's apple cart."

He hung up, thought for a couple of seconds and then returned to Auntie Harding.

"Thanks," he said. "Good night. I'm in a hurry."

"Stop! Come back. Captain Norwood, I didn't send for you to use my telephone! Here are my trunks, and I can't get anyone to wait on me. I can't get away and I can't go back in! I paid a contractor in advance, and he hasn't turned up. Please do something."

"Were you running out on Lynn?"

Norwood asked her.

"Captain Norwood, how dare you say that!"

"Were you?"

"No, I was not! I was bluffing."

"Uh-huh. Shall I tell her you were bluffing?"

"Don't you dare! If you know where she is, you bring her here."

Rundhia was punch drunk. All the physical fight had been knocked out of him. He knew his nose was bleeding. He knew Lynn was in Norwood's grasp. That Norwood had escaped death was a staggerer almost worse than the punch on the jaw. For the moment, he could think of nothing but Norwood. Like a man in the ring, who is almost out on his feet, he obeyed the instinct to deliver a foul blow.

He reeled and staggered, gradually recovering, along a short cut toward his own palace. As his nerves and muscles recovered, so did his brain. He began to think a little clearly. By the time he reached his palace and had sent for the Bengali doctor, his nose had ceased bleeding and he needed nothing more than a bath and a change of clothing. There were plenty of servants to lay out clean clothes. He talked to the Bengali doctor in the bathroom, where the shower drowned the sound of their voices. Even so, he spoke English, least one of the valets should overhear.

"Now listen. Don't answer me, or I'll have you hanged. Damn you, I mean that. I'm desperate. Thanks to your letting me down in a pinch and refusing to have anything to do with it, the attack on Norwood was bungled."

"He is alive? I heard they killed him."

"Do I look as if they'd killed him? He's on the rampage. I'm going to get him."

"Careful!"

"Watch your own step. If you fail to kill your man tonight, you'll lose your number! Is the old fool mulling over his stamp albums?"

"Yes. His Highness is studying

stamps. He has with him that stamp salesman from Lahore, who can speak nothing but Punjabi, but can swindle without speaking at all."

"All right, I'll talk English to him. The old sheep shall do one useful thing before he dies. You have the poison ready?"

"Yes, but this is a crisis," the Bengali answered. "Are you in a fit condition to control a crisis? To me, you seem very nervous. Let me feel your heart-beat. Why not postpone this until tomorrow?"

"Because tomorrow the old sheep might change his will. I've had a warning from the Resident. By the day after tomorrow, they might already have vetoed my succession to the throne. If he's already dead they'll let me succeed, to save themselves trouble. So poison the old sheep tonight, and take your money and go to the devil. I hope I never see you again. If you fail, I'll take damned good care you hang!"

"There is no risk of failure, unless you are too excited and behave suspiciously."

"Yes, there is," said Rundhia. "You do as I tell you. Be a little late with his tonic, so that he drinks it greedily. I'm going in to see him now. After I come out, you wait until someone else goes in to see him."

"But if no one goes?"

"I will take care that someone does go. If you give it to him in someone else's presence, it will look more innocent. Will he be able to speak after he drinks it?"

"No. It will paralyze his nerves immediately."

"How long will it take him to die?"

"Perhaps ten minutes. Perhaps less. It will appear to be heart failure."

"Very well then. Where's your needle? Give me a strong shot."

"No. Not too strong. You must not get the habit. After this, you will need your faculties and self-control, if we are not to be found out. I will give you just sufficient to steady your nerves."

The Maharajah stared, noted the expression on Rundhia's face when he entered the room and made a warning gesture toward the Punjabi stamp salesman.

"Can he understand English?"

Rundhia demanded.

"I believe not."

"Well, I will speak English. If he does understand it, it won't much matter. I want you to call up the Resident and demand the immediate arrest of Captain Norwood!"

"Why?" asked the Maharajah.

"He has not only taken a bribe from the priests, as you already know—"

"I have heard it said."

"You know it's true. And now he has assaulted me. He knocked me out with a punch in the face."

"Were you drunk?" asked the Maharajah. And, before Rundhia could answer: "It would be beneath my dignity to ask the Resident to take official cognizance of a brawl between two drunkards."

CHAPTER XX

Lynn changed from the Indian costume. She entered the Maharajah's boudoir in a chignon evening gown.

"Please don't get up, Maharajah dear. You treat me as if I were royalty and you a subject or something."

"Why did you change your dress, Lynn? You looked so charming in—"

"Oh, this dress feels more honest somehow. I mean more like my real colors. Maharajah dear, I'm afraid I'm all upset. I'm not fit to talk to."

"Lynn dear, what has happened?"

"Rundhia made love to me, and I wasn't even polite to him. Captain Norwood came and punched Rundhia—he knocked him off the wall. I thought he had killed him. Oh, why do I keep on getting other people into trouble!"

The Maharajah's worried face seemed to age under Lynn's eyes.

"Lynn, did he hurt Rundhia badly?"

"No, I think not. Rundhia walked away."

"Did you speak to Captain Norwood?"

"Yes, I insulted him. I did it thoroughly. I suppose I shouldn't have, since it was I who injured him. But I couldn't help it. He tore up my letter, so I tore up his. I am not meek by nature. I'm not good at pretending."

"And Rundhia wasn't hurt? You are sure?"

"Captain Norwood went down off the wall to look. It wasn't long before Rundhia walked away. I don't

know why he didn't come back and face Captain Norwood, but perhaps he was too stunned by being knocked off the wall. Rundhia didn't behave very well."

"He needs you, Lynn."

Lynn laughed—bitter—contemptuous: "Needs me? I need a friend. Rundhia is—"

"Be strong," said the Maharajah. "I am your friend."

"Yes, bless you! Rundhia seemed strong," Lynn said. "And he talked like a perfect lover. I had almost begun to believe he can love. And then something happened. There was shooting—perhaps nothing important—I don't know. I asked Rundhia, and I thought he was lying when he said he didn't know. After that—it was quite sudden—I didn't believe in him any longer. I can't explain it. Then Captain Norwood came."

A servant entered. He announced that Prince Rundhia was waiting.

"Lynn, will you see him?"

"Not alone," Lynn answered. The Maharajah thought a minute: "It is against precedent, against custom. Lynn dear, will you be shocked if I ask Rundhia to come in here to talk to us?"

Lynn found a smile. "I suppose you're afraid he might brag! Let's risk that. I won't tell."

Rundhia strode in. He stood still in the center of the room. He was wearing a blood-red turban and dinner jacket. He looked like the real Rundhia again. Easy to imagine him horsed and riding hard at an enemy. He gazed at Lynn a moment, then at the Maharajah.

"Has Lynn told you?" he asked.

"Yes, Rundhia. What did you do to make Captain Norwood strike you?"

Rundhia tossed his head. He looked like a man when he did that.

"Lynn saw Lynn heard," he answered. "I went at once and demanded Norwood's arrest. His Highness your husband, my revered and beloved uncle, refused. Lynn must decide."

"Decide what?" Lynn asked.

Rundhia looked strangely at her. "Does he live or die? It was because you were there that Norwood struck me. I hadn't offered to strike him. There is only one possible resort to that insult—unless you forbid. That is what you must decide now. Lynn, I have offered you my heart and the throne of Kadur. What is your answer?"

"Lynn," said the Maharajah—and stopped speaking.

There was a knock at the door. A servant entered.

"Captain Norwood sahib! He waits. He begs leave to speak to Her Highness the Maharajah. Captain Norwood says his business is very urgent."

"I will not see Captain Norwood," said the Maharajah. "This is no hour for me to receive him." She stared at Rundhia. Then, slowly, to the servant: "Tell Captain Norwood he should ask for His Highness my husband. I will send word to His Highness, asking him to receive Captain Norwood."

The servant vanished.

Lynn got up out of her chair. She looked desperate but perfectly calm.

"Lynn darling," said the Maharajah.

Rundhia interrupted: "Norwood's fate is in your hands. I will do anything for you—if—"

"If what, Rundhia?"

"If you accept my love."

"I don't love you," she answered.

"Accept my love. My love will make you love me!"

"If not?" Lynn asked.

"I will kill Norwood. After that, I will let happen what may. If my love means nothing, I will trample it into oblivion. Yes or no, Lynn?"

"Rundhia," Lynn's voice was as quiet and controlled as if she were facing death. "The barrier between you and me is your laugh when you boasted of Captain Norwood's ruin. You promised me that you would do your best to clear him. Did you?"

"No," said Rundhia. "But if you will marry me, I will. I will accept your promise. I don't believe you know how to break one. I will keep mine."

"Rundhia," said Lynn, "I will promise to marry you, if you will write, and sign, a retraction of any and all accusations against Captain Norwood. You must put it in the form of a letter to the British Resident, and it must be witnessed by the Maharajah and the Maharajah."

You must meet Captain Norwood in my presence, and the Maharajah's, and you must say to him personally that you withdraw. I won't ask you to beg his pardon, because I won't do that. I won't speak to him. But I insist on your behaving like a man."

The Maharajah spoke suddenly with a ring of command in her voice:

"Rundhia, go to the table and write!"

Rundhia went to the table. Lynn sat down beside the Maharajah:

"Maharajah dear, you must be my wise friend, for I am all in the dark. I feel so western and so lonely, and I don't know whether I am doing right or wrong. But I will do my best."

"Lynn—"

Lynn interrupted her: "Will you make me a promise? Will you never, never tell Captain Norwood why I married Rundhia? Will you keep it a secret?"

The Maharajah was silent for nearly a minute. She was not quite dry-eyed. She spoke suddenly, low-voiced:

"Lynn, do you love Captain Norwood?"

"Maharajah dear, I have promised to marry Rundhia."

—To be continued—



"Lynn dear, what has happened?"

TO THE SELECTMEN OF THE TOWN OF BETHEL, MAINE.

Central Maine Power Company, a corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Maine, and having its principal office and place of business in Augusta, in the County of Kennebec, in said State, and authorized to transmit and distribute electricity in the Town of Bethel, Maine, in accordance with the general statutes relating to that business, hereby petitions for permission, in accordance with law, to erect and maintain poles with cross-arms carrying wires, together with the necessary sustaining and supporting wires and fixtures required therefor, upon, and along the following named highways and public roads in said Town of Bethel:

- (1) Rumford Road—From Railroad St. to residence of Paul Thurston.
- (2) Church St.—Whole Length.
- (3) Main St.—Whole Length.
- (4) Vernon St.—From Main to Kilborn St.
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- (9) Mechanic St.—Whole Length.
- (10) Paradise St.—Whole Length.
- (11) Spring St.—Whole Length.

CENTRAL MAINE POWER COMPANY.

By H. L. Jackson

District Superintendent

Bethel, Maine, May 8, 1940

Upon the foregoing petition, it is ORDERED: That a hearing be held thereon at Selectmen's Office in the Town of Bethel on Saturday, the First day of June, 1940, at two o'clock in the afternoon at which time and place residents and owners of property upon the highways to be affected thereby shall have full opportunity to show cause why such permit should not be granted; and that public notice thereof be given by publishing a copy of said petition, attested by the town clerk, together with this order of notice thereon, once a week for two successive weeks in the "OXFORD COUNTY CITIZEN", a newspaper printed in said town of Bethel, the last publication to be fourteen days before said hearing.

ERNEST F. BISBEE
JOHN H. HOWE
CARROLL E. ABBOTT

A True Copy
Attest:
ALICE J. BROOKS
Town Clerk

NOTICE

The subscriber I tice that he has pointed Admr. of Irving H. Wilson, in the County of without bond. All demands against the deceased are desir the same for sett indebted thereto make payment in EVANS I. Bethel, Me. Apr. 16th, 1940.

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STATE OF

To all persons int of the Estates of

At a Probate Co in and for the Cou the third Tuesday year of our Lord of hundred and forty, from the third 1 April. The follow ing being presente thereupon hereina is hereby Ordered:

That notice be all persons interes copy of this order three weeks succ Oxford County Cit published at Bethel that they may app Court to be held the third Tuesday 1940, at 10 of the moon, and be hear see cause.

Henry P. Austin deceased; Will and bate thereof and t Ava B. Austin as same to act with pressed in said W Ava B. Austin, therein named.

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Frank E. Hal Bethel, deceased; appointment of B com, Jr., as adm estate of said d bond, presented b com, widow.

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NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed Admr. of the estate of Irving H. Wilson, late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

EVANS I. WILSON,
Bethel, Maine.

Apr. 16th, 1940.

NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed Exr. of the estate of Fannie Bisbee Lovejoy, late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

BERTRAM E. PACKARD,
Augusta, Maine.

Apr. 16th, 1940.

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court, held at Paris in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty, from day to day from the third Tuesday of said April. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of May, A. D. 1940, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Henry P. Austin, late of Bethel, deceased; Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Ava B. Austin as executrix of the same to act without bond as expressed in said Will, presented by Ava B. Austin, the executrix therein named.

James J. Dever, late of Bethel, deceased; Petition for the appointment of Helen M. Perkins as administratrix of the estate of said deceased, with bond, presented by Arthur Coughlin, a creditor. Frank E. Hanscom, late of Bethel, deceased; Petition for the appointment of F. Edward Hanscom, Jr., as administrator of the estate of said deceased, without bond, presented by Ella D. Hanscom, widow.

Ellen Gorman Libby, late of Bryant Pond, deceased; Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Grover C. Gorman as executor of the same, to act without bond as expressed in said Will, presented by Grover C. Gorman, the executor therein named.

Witness, Albert J. Stearns, Judge of said Court at Paris, this third Tuesday of April in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty.

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SCHOOL DAYS

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WEST PARIS

Mother's Day at the Universalist Church was largely attended. It was also the 18th anniversary of the pastorate of Miss Forbes, whose ministry began on Mother's Day. The choir rendered fitting music and the many flowers beautifully decorated the church. Miss Forbes was presented a beautiful basket of flowers and a check of \$100 from the Parish in appreciation of her many years of devoted service. She also received gifts of flowers from individuals. Visitors were present from Lewiston, Buckfield and South Paris.

The Baynes Bird Club will meet Wednesday at the home of Miss Emily Tuell, West Sumner.

Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes preached the Mother's Day sermon at Locke Mills Sunday evening.

Mrs. Lucile Andrews and three children are with her grandmother, Mrs. Winnie Ridlon.

Mrs. Mildred Davis, accompanied by her sister, arrived home last week from Lewiston, where she has spent most of the winter.

E. J. Mann returned Monday night from a visit to New York and Canada.

The Union Memorial Sunday Service will be held at the Universalist Church Sunday, May 26, Hannah Carter Tent, Daughters of Union Veterans, will attend.

Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes will take for her subject at the Universalist Church Sunday morning, "Mental House Cleaning."

At a special meeting of Onward Rebekah Lodge Monday evening 11 candidates received the degree.

Mrs. Mary Aldrich is gaining from an illness of the past two or three weeks.

Mrs. Emma Berry of Norway is staying with Miss Ella Curtis.

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The Friendly Class of the Universalist Church will hold the May meeting on Thursday the 23rd at Good Will Hall. The hostesses will be the combined committee of April and May: Ethel Penley, Mildred Davis, Marjorie Chase, Jessie Andrews, Annie Davis, Mina Baker, Inez M. Emery, Winnie Ridlon.

Mrs. Ada Barden was called to Portland Friday afternoon by the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Jennie Currier.

Mrs. Ella Nickerson, Mrs. Mabel Radcliff and Rev. E. B. Forbes were in Lewiston Monday on business.

At the stated communication of Granite Lodge No. 182, F. & A. M., to be held at Masonic Hall May 20, the M. M. degree will be worked by Jefferson Lodge No. 100, Bryant Pond. A banquet will be served at 6.30 p. m. daylight saving time, by Granite Chapter, O. E. S.

George Jackson, who has been ill in bed for the past two or three weeks, is gaining and able to sit up a little each day. Mrs. Jackson has also been put to bed by the doctor's orders. She has a very bad ankle and has to stay off it.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Patch have gone to New York to visit their daughter.

ROWE HILL

This past week-end seemed to be "move" week. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hanscom have moved from Locke Mills to their home here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Elton Dunham moved back after spending the winter in Locke Mills. Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Colby Ring moved from Locke Mills to their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Bryant, Wilmer Bryant and Mrs. Ray Hanscom were in Norway and Oxford Monday.

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CHAPTER XIX

The horses and their riders were invisible in the shadow where the high wall curved away from the moonlight. O'Leary spoke hoarsely: "That must be a shorter! You could have heard that punch half-way to Delhi. Who did you hit?" "Mind your own business. Why did you whistle?" "Stoddart sent a man from camp to overtake you. He gave the message to me. He said there'd come a sweeper, running like hell, from Mrs. Harding in the guesthouse. She says she has to see you in a hurry, it's important, and won't you come quick?"

"What's become of the sweeper?" "He lit out. He said all's quiet at the palace."

"Nothing else new?"

"No."

Norwood thought a second: "You go to the Residency. Ask to see the Resident in person. Give your message to nobody else. Here—here's my card. Send that in. Ask the Resident to stand by the phone and expect a call from me at any minute."

"Do I know anything, if he asks?"

"No. Look here, O'Leary: I know what I'm going to do, but I don't know what will happen. You follow the Resident to the palace. Slip in through the gate after him and watch for that Bengali doctor. Hold him, if you catch him coming out or going in. When you see me coming out of the palace, if I hold up my right hand, let him go. If I hold up both hands, turn him over to the gate guard. You've no police power, remember. So be careful."

Norwood was off at full gallop, with the coin hard after him, before O'Leary could answer. He drew rein at the palace gate and was delayed there for a moment or two by an argument between the commander of the gate guard and an Indian contractor, who had turned up with a motor truck for Mrs. Harding's luggage and a car for Mrs. Harding. Because Norwood was in uniform, the contractor appealed to him.

"Sir, I am refused admission. Sir, I have an order from the American lady, Mrs. Harding, to collect her luggage and to convey her to the station. It is a long way and a bad road. She has already paid me. I fear we shall not catch the midnight train unless—"

The commander of the gate guard drew Norwood aside. "It is his honor the Resident's wish," he said quietly.

"No business of mine," said Norwood. "May I leave my horses inside the gate?"

The great gate clanged behind him. He walked to the guesthouse. Mrs. Harding was no longer reclining on pillows on the chaise longue. She seemed even to have partially recovered from her lameness. She was seated bolt upright on one of her trunks, on the garden path, in front of the veranda door.

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da to read it by the light from the window.

"Dear Captain Norwood,

"I am feeling ashamed and so sorry that I hardly know what to write. Won't you please call as soon as you can and let me explain. I mentioned, without thinking, something that occurred this morning. To my horror, I have now learned that what I said has been repeated, and that the result may be—I can't write it! Please, Captain Norwood, please believe that what I said was merely thoughtless and that what I have heard about you I refuse to believe. I know you are an honorable man. Please help me to undo my very bad mistake. I will be waiting for you at the palace. Won't you call as soon as possible?"

Lynn Harding."

Norwood returned to Mrs. Harding. "How long have you had this?"

"Don't try any of that holy-toity

arrogance on me!" she retorted. "I'm a Harding, I'll have you understand! I sent a messenger for you because—"

Norwood was gone before she could answer. He dashed into the house, seized the phone and gave the Residency number. Then he lowered his voice:

"That you, sir? Norwood speaking from the guesthouse. Can you come to the palace? Yes, I know you told me to keep away. But I'm a ghost I'm supposed to be dead. You say you'd heard it already? My God, they were quick!"

No, no, I wasn't hurt. The point is this, sir: they are betting even money in the bazaar that the Maharajah won't outlive the night. I suspect poison. What's that?"

Well, for one thing, I know for a fact that Mrs. Harding has been given poisoned toast to make her vomit. Well, sir, obviously to keep her away from the niece.

Yes, yes, I have that letter I've just read it. If I'm not too late, and I don't think I am, I'm going in to upset someone's applecart.

He hung up, thought for a couple of seconds and then returned to Auntie Harding.

"Thanks," he said. "Good night. I'm in a hurry."

"Stop! Come back. Captain Norwood. I didn't send for you to use my telephone! Here are my trunks, and I can't get anyone to wait on me. I can't get away and I can't go back in! I paid a contractor in advance, and he hasn't turned up. Please do something."

"Were you running out on Lynn?" Norwood asked her.

"Captain Norwood, how dare you say that!"

"Were you?"

"No, I was not! I was bluffing."

"Uh-huh. Shall I tell her you were bluffing?"

"Don't you dare! If you know where she is, you bring her here."

Rundhia was punch drunk. All the physical fight had been knocked out of him. He knew his nose was bleeding. He knew Lynn was in Norwood's grasp. That Norwood had escaped death was a staggerer almost worse than the punch on the jaw. For the moment, he could think of nothing but Norwood. Like a man in the ring, who is almost out on his feet, he obeyed the instinct to deliver a foul blow.

He reeled and staggered, gradually recovering, along a short cut toward his own palace. As his nerves and muscles recovered, so did his brain. He began to think a little clearly. By the time he reached his palace and had sent for the Bengali doctor, his nose had ceased bleeding and he needed nothing more than a bath and a change of clothing. There were plenty of servants to lay out clean clothes. He talked to the Bengali doctor in the bathroom, where the doctor drowned the sound of his voice. Even so, he spoke English.

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stamps. He has won him that stamp salesman from Lahore, who can speak nothing but Punjabi, but can swindle without speaking at all."

"All right, I'll talk English to him. The old sheep shall do one useful thing before he dies. You have the poison ready?"

"Yes, but this is a crisis," the Bengali answered. "Are you in a fit condition to control a crisis? To me, you seem very nervous. Let me feel your heart-beat. Why not postpone this until tomorrow?"

"Because tomorrow the old sheep might change his will. I've had a warning from the Resident. By the day after tomorrow, they might already have vetoed my succession to the throne. If he's already dead they'll let me succeed, to save themselves trouble. So poison the old sheep tonight, and take your money and go to the devil. I hope I never see you again. If you fail, I'll take damned good care you hang!"

"There is no risk of failure, unless you are too excited and behave suspiciously."

"Yes, there is," said Rundhia. "You do as I tell you. Be a little late with his tonic, so that he drinks it greedily. I'm going in to see him now. After I come out, you wait until someone else goes in to see him."

"But if no one goes?"

"I will take care that someone does go. If you give it to him in someone else's presence, it will look more innocent. Will he be able to speak after he drinks it?"

"No. It will paralyze his nerves immediately."

"How long will it take him to die?"

"Perhaps ten minutes. Perhaps less. It will appear to be heart failure."

"Very well then. Where's your needle? Give me a strong shot."

"No. Not too strong. You must not get the habit. After this, you will need your faculties and self-control, if we are not to be found out. I will give you just sufficient to steady your nerves."

The Maharajah stared, noted the expression on Rundhia's face when he entered the room and made a warning gesture toward the Punjabi stamp salesman.

"Can he understand English?" Rundhia demanded.

"I believe not."

"Well, I will speak English. If he does understand it, it won't much matter. I want you to call up the Resident and demand the immediate arrest of Captain Norwood!"

"Why?" asked the Maharajah.

"He has not only taken a bribe from the priests, as you already know—"

"I have heard it said."

"You know it's true. And now he has assaulted me. He knocked me out with a punch in the face."

"Were you drunk?" asked the Maharajah. And, before Rundhia could answer: "It would be beneath my dignity to ask the Resident to take official cognizance of a brawl between two drunkards."

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"He needs you, Lynn."

Lynn laughed—bitter—contemptuous: "Needs me? I need a friend. Rundhia is—"

"Be strong," said the Maharanee. "I am your friend."

"Yes, bless you! Rundhia seemed strong," Lynn said. "And he talked like a perfect lover. I had almost begun to believe he can love. And then something happened. There was shooting—perhaps nothing important—I don't know. I asked Rundhia, and I thought he was lying when he said he didn't know. After that—it was quite sudden—I didn't believe in him any longer. I can't explain it. Then Captain Norwood came."

A servant entered. He announced that Prince Rundhia was waiting.

"Lynn, will you see him?"

"Not alone," Lynn answered. The Maharanee thought a minute: "It is against precedent, against custom. Lynn dear, will you be shocked if I ask Rundhia to come in here to talk to us?"

Lynn found a smile. "I suppose you're afraid he might brag! Let's risk that. I won't tell."

Rundhia strode in. He stood still in the center of the room. He was wearing a blood-red turban and dinner jacket. He looked like the real Rundhia again. Easy to imagine him horsed and riding hard at an enemy. He gazed at Lynn a moment, then at the Maharanee:

"Has Lynn told you?" he asked.

"Yes, Rundhia. What did you do to make Captain Norwood strike you?"

Rundhia tossed his head. He looked like a man when he did that.

NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed Admr. of the estate of Irving H. Wilson, late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

EVANS I. WILSON,
Bethel, Maine.

Apr. 16th, 1940.

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NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed Exr. of the estate of Fannie Bisbee Lovejoy, late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

BERTRAM E. PACKARD,
Augusta, Maine.

Apr. 16th, 1940.

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STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court, held at Paris in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty, from day to day from the third Tuesday of said April. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of May, A. D. 1940, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Henry P. Austin, late of Bethel, deceased; Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Ava B. Austin as executrix of the same to act without bond as expressed in said Will, presented by Ava B. Austin, the executrix therein named.

James J. Dever, late of Bethel, deceased; Petition for the appointment of Helen M. Perkins as administratrix of the estate of said deceased, with bond, presented by Arthur Coughlin, a creditor.

Frank E. Hanscom, late of Bethel, deceased; Petition for the appointment of F. Edward Hanscom, Jr., as administrator of the estate of said deceased, without bond, presented by Ella D. Hanscom, widow.

Ellen Gorman Libby, late of Bryant Pond, deceased; Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Grover C. Gorman as executor of the same, to act without bond as expressed in said Will, presented by Grover C. Gorman, the executor therein named.

Witness, Albert J. Stearns, Judge of said Court at Paris, this third Tuesday of April in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty.

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SCHOOL DAYS

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WEST PARIS

Mother's Day at the Universalist Church was largely attended. It was also the 18th anniversary of the pastorate of Miss Forbes, whose ministry began on Mother's Day. The choir rendered fitting music and the many flowers beautifully decorated the church. Miss Forbes was presented a beautiful basket of flowers and a check of \$100 from the Parish in appreciation of her many years of devoted service. She also received gifts of flowers from individuals. Visitors were present from Lewiston, Buckfield and South Paris.

The Baynes Bird Club will meet Wednesday at the home of Miss Emily Tuell, West Sumner.

Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes preached the Mother's Day sermon at Locke Mills Sunday evening.

Mrs. Lucille Andrews and three children are with her grandmother, Mrs. Winnie Ridlon.

Mrs. Mildred Davis, accompanied by her sister, arrived home last week from Lewiston, where she has spent most of the winter.

E. J. Mann returned Monday night from a visit to New York and Canada.

The Union Memorial Sunday Service will be held at the Universalist Church Sunday, May 26. Hannah Carter Tent, Daughters of Union Veterans, will attend.

Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes will take for her subject at the Universalist Church Sunday morning "Mental House Cleaning."

At a special meeting of Onward Rebekah Lodge Monday evening 11 candidates received the degree.

Mrs. Mary Aldrich is gaining from an illness of the past two or three weeks.

Mrs. Emma Berry of Norway is staying with Miss Ella Curtis.

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THE CITIZEN OFFICE
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The Friendly Class of the Universalist Church will hold the May meeting on Thursday the 17th at Good Will Hall. The hostesses will be the members of the class of April and May: Ethel Penley, Mildred Davis, Marjorie Chase, Jeanne Andrews, Annie Davis, Mabel Baker, Inez M. Emery, Wilma Burt.

Mrs. Ada Burton was called to Portland Friday afternoon by the serious illness of her sister Mrs. Jennie Carter.

Mrs. Ella Nicker, Mrs. Mabel Radloff and Rev. E. B. Forbes were in Lewiston Monday on business.

At the stated communication of Granite Lodge No. 145 F. & A. M., to be held at Masonic Hall May 20, the M. M. Degree will be worked by Jefferson Lodge No. 140. Bryant Pond A banquet will be served at 8:30 p. m. daylight saving time, by Granite Chapter O. E. S.

George Jackson, who has been ill in bed for the past two or three weeks, is gaining and able to sit up a little each day. Mrs. Jackson has also been put to bed by the doctor's orders. She has a very bad cold and has to stay off it.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Burt have gone to New York to visit their daughter.

ROWE HILL

The past weekend seemed to be a busy week. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hunscom have moved from Locke Mills to their home here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hunscom moved back after spending the winter in Locke Mills Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hunscom moved from Locke Mills to their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Bryant, Wilmer Bryant and Mrs. Ray Hunscom were in Norway and Oxford Monday.

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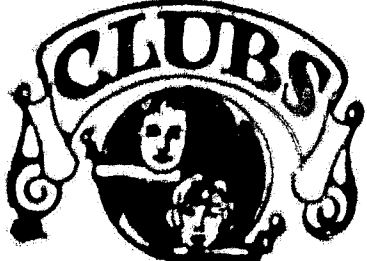
NORTHWEST BETHEL

Jack Chapman has purchased a new home.

Alfred Stepan of West Paris is working for Evans Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Coudridge are in Bethel. Mrs. Lester Coudridge is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Lapham while they are away.

Several from here attended the lecture and pictures at Bethel, given by Commander Donald MacMillan.



The Junior Guild will meet Wednesday, May 23 with a pot luck supper at 6:30. A Hobby Night program will be in charge of Mrs. Lawrence. Hosts Mrs. Arthur Carter and Mrs. William Chapman.

The Girl Scout troop enjoyed a hike and picnic to place of their regular meeting on Friday. Mrs. Mabel Brown accompanied the Scouts on their hike. It was announced that the Girl Scouts were beginning to take orders for their Scout cookies.

There was an attendance of over 120 at the district meeting which was held with Mr. Abram Lodge, 100 E. P. Friday evening. Proceeding the meeting supper was served by Sunset Rebekah Lodge to the Odd Fellows and members of Bethel Band. This was followed by a parade led by the Band. West Paris Lodge conferred the second degree on five candidates. Distinguished guests present included John W. Thornton of Lewiston, Deputy Grand Master; Percy M. Wallace of Portland, Grand Warden; and Walter O. Hicks of Rumford, Past Grand Representative.

The following program was enjoyed following the Mother and Daughter Banquet at the Methodist dining room Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Young People's Club Song America; Toast

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Sunday, May 19th

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Rev. Herbert T. Wallace, Minister

9:30 a. m. Sunday School.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon subject, "Knowledge and Impression,"—a sermon on Jesus' Parables of the Kingdom.

5:00 p. m. The Pilgrim Fellowship group will meet at the Chapel to go to the annual Oxford County Young People's Rally at the Baptist Church, Paris Hill. We take our suppers.

METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. M. A. Gordon, Pastor

9:45 Church School. Mrs. Myrtle Lapham, superintendent.
11:00 Sunday Morning Worship. Special singing by chorus choir. Mrs. Mildred Lyon, director. Subject of sermon, "The Message of Springtime."

6:30 Epworth League (Look up List up) omitted. Members will go to Young People's Rally at Paris Hill.

7:30 Evening service. In the absence of the pastor the meeting will be led by Perry Lapham.

For he looked for a city which has foundations whose builder and maker is God. Heb. 11: 10.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
Sunday School at 10 o'clock.

Services Sunday morning at 10:45. "Mortals and immortals" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon that will be read in all churches of this denomination throughout the world, on May 19.

The Golden Text is: "This incorruptible must put on incorruption, and this mortal must put on immortality" (1 Corinthians 15: 53).

The citations from the Bible include the following passages: "Wherefore seeing we also are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which doth so easily beset us, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us, Looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith, who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God" (Hebrews 12: 1-2).

The Lesson Sermon also includes passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy.

Tenemental meetings at 7:30 p. m. on the second Wednesday of each month until May.

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Week of May 13

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II	3.00	2.45	60
III	6.00	4.55	50
IV	1.00	2.15	68
V	\$12.00	\$11.75	45
VI	\$7.00	\$6.50	63
VII	1.00	1.55	44
VIII	1.00	2.75	46
	\$50.00	\$44.50	

Fourth and Sixth Grades have members.

to Mothers. Mrs. Marjorie Freeman, Toast to Daughters. Mrs. M. A. Gordon, Keeping of Mother's Day. Mrs. R. R. Tibbotts, Poem, One Mother. Miss Rebecca Gordon; Song, Bless the Tie that Binds. Each mother was presented a rose. Miss Rebecca Gordon was mistress of ceremonies.

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HOMERS AID GORHAM
DEFEAT GOULD, 8-7

Gorham landed on Roberts for five hits including two home runs to score six times in the second inning. This brought Tucker to the mound, and he was successful in shutting out the visitors in every inning except the eighth. Here they combined three solid hits to score two runs. Meanwhile, the Gould team was adding a run here and there and finally tied up the score in the sixth inning. In the seventh, Gould scored again and had the bases loaded when Gorham's star pitcher, left-handed Martell, was inserted to pitch. He successfully quelled the uprising and held the locals scoreless for the balance of the game. Tucker, besides pitching magnificently for seven innings, led the batters for the day getting three hits—one a triple. Clough and Amato each had two hits in five times at bat. This was the first game played on the Alumni Field, and the boys found the field in perfect condition.

Gould meets Fryeburg here Saturday in what should be the outstanding league game of the season. Next Wednesday Mechanic Falls is here for a non-league engagement and then the boys enjoy a rest over the week-end before meeting South Paris here Wednesday, May 29.

GOULD
Amato, lf, rf 5 2 1 0
Sweeney, ss 5 0 3 2
Wentzell, 2b 4 0 3 2
Tucker, cf, p 5 3 1 1
Clough, 3b 5 2 1 1
Jenks, lf, cf 3 0 2 0
Gavel, 1b 4 1 8 0
Billings, c 3 1 8 2
Roberts, p 0 0 0 0
Robertson, rf 4 1 0 1
38 10 27 9

GORHAM
Johnson, ss 5 1 2 1
Rosa, cf 4 1 2 0
Gorham, c 3 2 6 4
Kiddler, lf, 1b 5 1 4 0
Martell, 1b, p 4 1 9 2
Ladd, 3b 4 2 1 3
Holleran, rf 4 0 0 0
Minnich, p, 2b 4 1 1 4
Dalphonse, 2b 2 0 1 0
Williams, z 1 0 0 0
Robertson, lf 1 0 1 0
37 9 27 14

Batted for Dalphonse
GOULD 3 0 0 0 1 2 1 0 0 7
GORHAM 0 6 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 8

Runs, Johnson, Rosa, Gorham 2; Kiddler, Martell, Ladd 2; Minnich, Amato, Sweeney, Tucker 3; Gavel, Robertson, Error, Johnson 3; Gorham 2; Clough 2; Gavel; Two base hits, Rosa, Gorham; Three base hit, Tucker; Home runs, Johnson, Kiddler. Stolen bases, Gorham 6, Gould 2. Sacrifices, Wentzell, Billings, Robertson; Double play, Wentzell to Sweeney, Loff on bases, Gorham 6, Gould 11. Base on balls—off Roberts 2, Tucker, Minnich 3, Martell. Struck out by Minnich 2, Martell 4. Roberts 2, Tucker 7; Hits off Minnich 9 in 6 innings, off Roberts 5 in 1 2-3 innings, off Martell 1 in 2 innings, off Tucker 4 in 7 1-3 innings. Winning pitcher, Minnich. Losing pitcher, Tucker. Umpires, Lurvey and Gill. Time of game, 2 hours.

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GOULD ACADEMY

Gould Netmen Win First Match 6-3

Gould Academy's first tennis team opened the 1940 schedule by upsetting Stephens High of Rumford 6-3. Two of the visitors' better players were not present however, which means the Academy boys will have real tennis in the next meeting of the two schools.

Two doubles victories and four victories in the singles gave Gould their six wins while Stephens High won two singles matches and one doubles.

The results of the matches were as follows:

Singles
St. Thomas (G) defeated Fisher (R) 4-6, 6-3, 6-1
Flaherty (R) defeated Jenks (G) 6-7, 7-5
Bull (G) defeated R. 6-2, 6-2
Blanchard (O) defeated R. 6-2, 6-1
Robbins (R) defeated McFee (G) 7-5, 3-6, 6-4
B. Brown (G) defeated R. 6-1, 6-0

Doubles
Fisher and Martin (R) defeated Jenks and Bull (G) 4-6, 6-3, 6-3
St. Thomas and Blanchard (G) defeated Galt and Flaherty 7-5, 4-6, 6-4
Brown and McFee (G) defeated Robbins and Mckerle 6-3, 6-2

Gould's next tennis match is with the Hebron Reserves at Hebron on Tuesday, May 21st.

Gould Wins Triangular Track Meet
Tucker, Gould Academy track ace, paced his mates with 14 points 2 to help defeat South Paris High and Norway High in a tri-cornered track meet at Norway last Thursday afternoon. Summary:

100 yards—Won by Tucker (G); second, Woods (P); third, Dyer (N). Time: 10.3 secs.
220 Yards by Woods (P); second, Hall (N); third, Buck (G). Time: 23.1 secs.
120 yard low hurdles—Won by Runyan (G); second, St. Thomas (G); third, Boyce (P). Time: 14.8 secs.

High jump—Won by Palmer (G); second, He between Cobb (N) and Tucker (G). Height: 4 ft. 10 in.
Pole Vault—Won by Luck (N); second, He between Carry (P) and Runyan (P). Height: 9 ft. 9 in.

Broad jump—First, tie between Brown (G) and Tucker (G); third, Abbe (G). Distance: 18 ft. 1 1/2 in.
440 Yards by Woods (P); second, Hall (N); third, Brown (G). Time: 2:29 seconds.

Half mile—Won by Dixon (N); second, Kimball (G); third, Cummings (G). Time: 2 min. 15 sec.
Mile—Won by Grover (G); second, Dixon (N); third, Cummings (G). Time: 5 min. 6 sec.

Shot put—Won by Howe (G); second, Tucker (G); third, Roberts (N). Distance: 33 ft. 7 in.
Discus—Won by Cobb (N); second, Roberts (N); third, Wylie (N). Distance: 91 ft. 1 in.

Javelin—Won by Libby (P); second, Howe (G); third, Dow (N). Distance: 152 ft.
Final score: Gould 52, Norway 33, South Paris 23.

WEST BETHEL SCHOOLS

Primary School
The following pupils have had perfect attendance for the past six weeks: Grade II, Elizabeth Davis, Ronald Kendall, Charles Smith; Grade III, Donald Lord, Lois McInnis—dismissed one A. M. and P. M.; Grade IV, Marvin Kendall, George Merrill.

Grammar School
Pupils in West Bethel Grammar School not absent one day during the past six weeks: Ronald Gilbert, Donald Walker, Colleen Bennett, Laurence Kendall, Albert Smith, Carroll Fitzgerald, Robert Davis, Maurice Kendall, Lloyd Lowell, Onell Saunders and Marilyn Abbott.

West Bethel Grammar School defeated Bethel Grammar School in a game of baseball at West Bethel last Thursday. The score was 14-12.

There was a good attendance at the P. T. A. business meeting Wednesday evening, May 8.

Mrs. Paul Head will give a talk at School Friday afternoon about her recent trip through the Middle Atlantic and Southern States. She will show pictures and souvenirs.

NEWS OF THE UNBAGOG
INTERSTATE LARGER PARISH

FRIDAY: The Mother and Daughter Banquet will be held at the Magalloway Town Hall. Supper will be served at 6 p. m. D. S. T. to be followed by a program in which Rev. Hilda L. Ives will speak.

SUNDAY: Mr. Duke will preach at Errol at 10:30, at Wilson's Mills at 2:00 and at Magalloway at 3:00. Note the changes in the Upton and Newry services where Mr. Manter will preach. Newry Church School at 9:15 and Church at 10:00, Upton Church at 11:15.

In the afternoon the young people will travel to the Paris Hill Baptist Church to join in the Annual Youth Rally of Oxford County at 6:00 p. m. Rev. B. W. Dyer of Burma will address the young people at the service following the social hour.

TUESDAY: The Boy Scouts will meet in Upton.

WEDNESDAY: The young people's society will meet in Magalloway at 7:30.

THURSDAY: The Upton Christian Endeavor will meet at 7:30.

REMEMBER: The Annual Meeting of the Larger Parish at Magalloway at 2:00 p. m. on Tuesday, May 28th.

The Men's Club will entertain the ladies at their meeting at Bear River Grange Hall in the evening of May 28th. Rev. Rodney W. Roundy, Superintendent of the Congregational-Christian Conference of Maine will be the speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Chaffin and Chester Chaffin of Rumford were dinner guests of Mrs. Carrie Merrill Sunday.

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STATE

Forest Commission
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The Bath Iron Works bidder on four freight American Export Liner, which the shipyard expects that the shipyard through 1941 and 1942.

The Maine Central awarded the National gold certificate in nation-wide employee test for 1939, Monday.

Former Governor L. urges that the Federal take protective measures Iron Works and Portland.

It is estimated that session for the Maine called to convene to \$2,500 a day.

NATIONAL
President Roosevelt Congress for \$1,182,000 "our defenses invulnerable security absolute."

The Federal Reserve ports signs of an uptick, which started early. The airplane industry 60,000 workers in re It can employ 100,000 expansion of plants to tense orders.

Col. Charles A. L. demands adequate air defense western hemisphere cooperation with other nations.

The Supreme Court right of Congress to ruling on the Guffey C week.

A bureau of National Coordination is a possibility of the government's presence.

President Roosevelt Congress a reorganization transfer of the Immigration Naturalization Service for Department to the of Justice. It is to be forestalling "Fifth Columnists in this country."

FOREIGN
Italy rushed war supplies Albania Tuesday, and Albania-Albania border closed.

All foreigners in Russia did not have work permitted deported Friday.

Japan is reported as the present administration East Indies affairs, and send troops there unless tions do so.

Germans captured "the Maginot Line, and France to be impregnable.

The League of Nations its offices in Geneva, in readiness for moving France, if the Swiss are Premier Reynaud of pealed before the French for support from those It was considered a bid can aid.

MEMORIAL DAY PROGRAM
Memorial Day will be in Bethel as usual. The exercises at East Bethel m., and at the Soldier's in the village at 2 p. m. afternoon program follows:

America, B. Prayer, Rev. H. Music, Lincoln's Gettysburg Address, Sherman

Music, Address, Herby Star Spangled Banner, Band and Benediction, Rev. H. Taps